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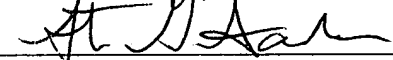
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5 Invention: LUER-ACTIVATED VALVE

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In response to the office action dated June 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

25 **Amendments to the Specification** are on page 2 of this paper.

Amended Claims are listed beginning on page 3 of this paper.

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